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 FOR: Method for Generating Code)  
 for Processing a Database )

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Honorable Commissioner of  
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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir,

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.97-1.98, submitted herewith is Form PTO-1449 along with copies of the three references identified therein. Also submitted herewith is a copy of the British search report which constitutes the first knowledge of the applicant of the cited references. This Information Disclosure Statement is being timely filed and no fee is required.

All three references were cited merely as category A documents, and it is believed that these references, while of technological background interest, are not relevant to the present invention.

GB 2325761 describes a programming development environment for developing Internet applications, including the production of customised database extender programs.

GB 2315891 describes an architecture for combining data analysis algorithms and databases on the Internet.

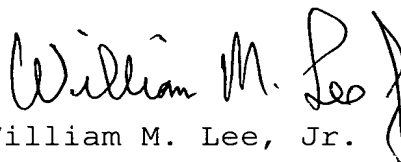
WO 91/14991 describes a database system in which a compiler receives as input a description of source file types or languages, and outputs a tag set definition file and filter file to be used by a browsing mechanism.

It is believed that none of these references, considered individually or in combination, describes or suggests the invention as claimed in the present application.

Examination of the application on its merits is awaited.

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